

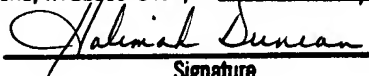


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Serial No.: 10/088,969	)	Examiner: J. Sheehan
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Filed: June 19, 2002	)	
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For: BORON-LOW Nd-Fe-B ALLOY	)	
AND METHOD FOR PRODU-	)	
CING PERMANENT MAGNETS	)	
ON THE BASIS OF SAID ALLOY	)	

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Dear Sir:

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